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In re the above referenced application, applicant is advised that the PTO-1449 filed September 10, 2008 and the three references supplied therewith have been reviewed by this Examiner. Examiner's analysis of the newly supplied prior art has not produced any disclosure in an individual new reference, or a combination of new references with each other, or a combination of a new reference disclosure with any other reference disclosure already of record that would permit development of a reasonable art rejection. Therefore, Examiner has not found any basis for alteration or amendment of the previous finding of allowability.

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